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Local and General

Wm Nicholson has returned from a trip to Vancouver.

A. R. Thomas was a Calgary visitor on Saturday last.

Frank Leveck has just completed a well for the C.P.R. at Wessex.

Mrs. P. A. Wintmute and children of Calgary, spent the week end with Mrs. E. S. McRory.

The City Fathers held a Council meeting on Friday last.

A meeting of the Womens Institute will be held in the Fire Hall, on Saturday, May 3rd, at 3 p.m. it is hoped there will be a good attendance.

Members of the Church of England will be pleased to learn that a complete set of beautifully embroidered Communion Linen has been received from Mrs. Stacey, of Kellogg, England, for the use in the Church here. Mrs. Stacey, is the mother of Mr. Stacey, who was in charge here a few years ago and who collected the money with which the Church was built.

G. H. Doust and family are leaving this week for Washington State, where Mr. Doust has secured a position.

Sherwin-Williams Paint covers most, looks best and wears longest. Laute sell it.

Wm. Edward shipped two car loads of hogs last week.

A case of disorderly conduct was tried before magistrates Morrow and Boyle on Monday last. Severe punishment was promised the culprit if he again appeared before them.

If you require to renew your old Loan or take out a new one call and see me, as I can save you money. I represent the N. of Scotland Can. Mortgage Co., The Canada Life, and others. CHAS. HULTON.

The Government road gang under the supervision of James Ramsey left here for Beiseker, on Tuesday morning, where they expect to commence operations at once. Mr. Sloan will have charge of the outfit working in the Crossfield vicinity.

Robt. Lansburgh, Junr., left last week for Bassano where he expects to remain for the summer.

Special music was rendered by the choir at the Union Church on Sunday evening. Mr. A. R. Thomas together with Mr. Babcock, a visitor to town assisting.

Get a sample of my seed oats from A. W. Gordon and try them, and you will find out they will all grow. Government test 93 per cent. 17 Geo. Huser.

There is no scarcity of eggs in Crossfield. We understand that 800 dozen were marketed with local dealers on Saturday.

You owe it to yourself to read the weekly bargains as offered by the local dealers to you through the medium of this paper. Try it and see if you do not save money.

All Oddfellows of Crossfield and vicinity are requested to meet at the I.O.O.F. Hall, Crossfield, on Sunday, April 27th, at 2 p.m., for the purpose of attending the Anniversary Services.

Public worship in the Presbyterian Church, takes place at 3 p.m.

See McRory and Sons for prices on Hog Fencing. It will pay you.

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Crossfield School District No. 752

THE REGULAR MEETING of the above School Board will be held at the School House at 10 a.m. on the first Saturday in the following months: January, March, May, July, September and November. All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the real estate office near the Chronicle.
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A FORTUNE IN IT

If you could place an ad in the Moon millions of people would read it. Even then it would only be valuable a few nights each month, whereas a Want Ad in this paper will cover this particular locality every day in the year.

The Maple Leaf Milling Company are erecting a flour mill with a capacity of 3,000 barrels per day and an elevator of 100,000 bushels capacity in Medicine Hat, Alta.
Additions which will cost \$15,000, are being made to the factory of the Saskatchewan Glass Supply Co. Moosejaw, Sask.

The Huber Manufacturing Co., Marion, Ohio, will erect an impregnated warehouse and office costing \$40,000 in Regina, Sask.

A flour mill is being erected in Moosejaw, Sask., for the Union Mills Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

A new wholesale grocery and fruit house is to be erected in Brandon, Man.

The Redcliffe Rolling Mills and Bolt Co. are erecting a plant at Redcliffe.

Airdrie Notes.

L. Rafferty who has been here for some days left for Edmonton on Saturday.

H. R. Allas, who has been tending bar at the Airdrie Hotel, has resigned, and is leaving for Okotoks in the near future.

H. M. Rogers, of Calgary, was a business visitor in town on Friday.

L. M. Hart, of Calgary, was in town on business on Saturday. Mr. Hart has rented his farm east of town to Mr. M. Kinniburgh for this season.

L. Andrews, of Calgary was visiting his brother, C. Andrews on Sunday.

Messrs. D. McDonald and T. E. Blackader, of Okotoks, were in town on business on Thursday.

W. R. Jenkins recently purchased L. W. Fox's shed, which he intends to rent as an implement shop.

Dr. W. J. Findley, of Graham, M., arrived in town on Saturday, to look after his interests here.

Miss Cherrie Wood, formerly housekeeper for F. Winters, left for Ireland on Saturday, on account of the illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Windsor, of Bellevue, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jenkins last week.

R. B. Wilkinson made a business trip to Tilly on Thursday.

G. Todeco of Iriomana was a visitor in town on Saturday.

W. D. McLennan made a business trip to Cochrane last week.

D. A. Clarke was in Calgary on Monday on business.

O. Kirkwood, of Calgary, was a visitor here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Walker visited town in the auto on Sunday.

A. E. Bowers and Miss Mabel were visitors to Calgary on Sunday night.

F. B. VanSickle, of Calgary, was visiting here on Saturday.

Sunday, the 27th April, being set for the Anniversary Services, all Oddfellows of Airdrie are requested to meet at the I.O.O.F. Hall, at one p.m. on that date to attend the same.

The first catch of the season was made on Saturday (?) the 20th, when two pike were landed from the creek by the C.P.R. section foreman. They weighed 5 lbs. and 4 lbs., respectively. It's to be hoped they keep coming and bigger each time.

B. Derval of the Alta. Pacific Grain Co., who has been relieving at Carmangray for the past week, returned on Saturday. He was accompanied on his return journey by his old friend Sapho, a registered bull dog, which he intends to keep here now.

Subscriptions for the Crossfield Chronicle and Airdrie News may be paid at Dr. Edwards' Drug Store, Airdrie. \$1.00 per year in advance.

CROSSFIELD LOCAL & GENERAL.

S. Willis spent Friday last in Calgary.

McRory and Sons have just completed excavating and installing soft water tanks in the Morrow residence.

The Secretary of the Fair Board acknowledges with thanks a donation of \$50.00 from the Gun Club.

Wm. Upgahart spent Sunday with Calgary friends.

Miss Mason, who has been visiting her brothers Messrs. John and Jean, returned to her home in Calgary on Monday evening.

Mr. Tucker, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce staff, is able to again attend to his duties after several days of indisposition.

Laut Bros. are offering Timothy Seed at 8 cents. per pound. See them while it lasts.

CROSSFIELD BASEBALL CLUB.

The Crossfield Baseball Club at a meeting held in the Fire Hall, on Tuesday evening, reorganized for the season. S. Willis was appointed Manager, A. R. Thomas, Coach; Frank Laut, Secretary-Treasurer. There is some talk of forming a league with Didsbury, Bowden and Carstairs. In the event of steps being taken to accomplish this end F. Laut was appointed a delegate to represent Crossfield. On Wednesday the boys passed around a subscription list and from the reception they received it is evident that our townspeople want to see the game.

Cochrane,

April 22nd, 1913.

To My Supporters in the late Campaign.

Permit me to thank you one and all for the splendid way in which you stood by me in the campaign. Although we did not secure the Election, when we consider the advantages our opponent had in the redistribution and the disadvantage of a short campaign, the reduction of a majority of 350 in the previous election to a majority of 94 or less were the tied up ballots counted, speaks well for the splendid advancement of the Conservative cause.

Yours,

H. T. JARRETT.

A Compliment to Crossfield.

Our readers will be gratified to learn that a deputation from the Good Roads Association, will shortly visit Crossfield for the purpose of studying our methods and gaining all the information possible as to the right and proper manner of making roads. This information will surprise no one who is accustomed to travel through our good solid road beds, the condition of which has long been the wonder and admiration of those of us who have the privilege of using them.

Floral District U.F.A.

A meeting of the U.F.A. Floral District on Monday evening last. There was a large attendance and several new members were added to the roll. Negotiations are in progress whereby various commodities will be supplied to members at rates very much reduced from what we are accustomed to.

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PANAMA TOLL CASE

AN AMICABLE UNDERSTANDING IS SOON EXPECTED

It is believed that President Wilson will assume an attitude on the Canal Controversy that will prove agreeable to Great Britain.

Washington, D.C.—The report from England that Ambassador Bryce has informed his Government that President Wilson may be expected to assume an attitude on the Panama tolls controversy that will prove more agreeable to Great Britain than the policy of his predecessor, caused no surprise to those in Washington who have followed closely indications of the President's feeling on the subject. As far back as last summer, Washington despatches acknowledged that such a small concession on the part of the United States in the language of the Panama Canal Act was necessary to make that measure acceptable to Great Britain that it seemed incredible that a friendly settlement of the controversy would be reached.

The President's inclination to take a more sympathetic view of the British proposal appears to have been suggested in the disfavor with which he is understood to regard the appointment of not-so-senators to the committee on inter-oceanic canals. Any bill which would give the Panama Canal Act would be referred to that committee.

Mr. Wilson has been guarded in his utterances on the subject of the canal tolls and there is reason to believe that he does not wish to complicate the tariff situation by taking a stand just now. Last July a majority of his party in both houses of Congress was the party platform has declared. The President has long been a close friend of American shipping and his writings on allied subjects have brought him into communication many years ago with the committee that he has revealed his real sentiments to the diplomat.

A careful reading of Sir Edward Grey's note of last summer to Ambassador Bryce, which the Ambassador read to Secretary Kinkaid, led to the opinion in certain quarters that in spite of Sir Edward's brutal denials of the American right to any discrimination in favor of American shipping, he would accept the bill then pending as a fair recognition of the principle of treaty rights if two amendments were made. One of these was to make it certain that only American ships exclusively engaged in the coastwise trade would be allowed free passage through the canal. The other was to make it plain that the exemption of certain American tolls would constitute a loss to the American treasury and not constitute an additional burden on the shipping of the world.

Whether those modifications constitute the basis of the settlement which is now current possible is not known. In view of President Wilson's supposed friendliness towards the English plea it is possible that the British foreign office may press with greater vigor for some of the other points set forth in Sir Edward Grey's long note. But the subject of arbitration which was closed his note is supposed now to be abandoned in favor of settlement by friendly diplomacy.

Washington Welcomes Case.—In unofficial circles it is held that the administration would welcome a test in the supreme court on the question of the eligibility of the Japanese to naturalization.

So far, all decisions of record, mostly in west coast courts, have held that Japanese are not eligible because not white persons.

The issue has never been tested before the supreme court of the United States in a direct form.

The Japanese contend they are Malayans and Aryan in lineage and consequently may fairly claim to be classified ethnologically as the white persons described in the naturalization act.

The importance of determination of the question and its relationship to the alien land legislation now pending in California, in the fact that as that act now stands before the legislature, any alien entitled to apply for naturalization may own and lease land in a state, so that a decision favorable to the Japanese contention would completely defeat the purpose of the legislation so far as it might be aimed at the Japanese.

Mostly White Fox

Prince Albert.—The shipments of fur from the north country this year are of unusual size and quality. The local fur trading companies report particularly large and valuable lots being brought in. The season, which annually visits this city with its perils. The most prominent skin this year is that of the white fox, and scores of pelts are coming in. Other valuable specimens are finding their way here, not the least of which are two or three splendid polar bear skins of unusual size.

Thousand a Day Coming West

Winnipeg.—Immigrants averaging almost 1,000 a day reached Winnipeg during the week ending April 1. The British still maintain their lead among these with over 100 arrivals a day.

Total for the week was 8,668. Of these 3,676 were British, 240 Russians, 480 Galicians, 350 Germans, 290 Italians, 160 Scandinavians.

FRANCE IS INTERESTED

Hope to Get Valuable Information Out of the Balkan War

Paris.—Two members of the Parliamentary Army Council, M. Mesnager, ex-minister of War, and M. Benoit-Lévy, ex-minister of Finance, are studying in the report of the French war material. They are studying the Balkan Allies and the extent to which the German fortifications, constructed after German plans, and furnished with German war material, resisted their fire. Before leaving M. Benoit-Lévy made the following statement as to the object of the journey: "Parliament will shortly be asked to deliberate on the advisability of raising enormous credits in order to complete our armament, and our object is to furnish the most comprehensive information both to the Parliamentary Army Council and the country. Adriatic was admirably defended by well-trained Turkish troops, who were sheltered behind the entrenchments and acted with great efficiency. Those that at the present moment furnish the fortifications of the Balkan Allies are not, in fact, asking the Bulgarian generals exactly of what value the French cannon are to our own armament, or to them in the attack on Adriatic."

Elevators for the West

Ottawa.—It is understood that the government has under consideration the question of establishing terminal elevators at several points in the west which afford alternative routes for shipment of grain.

The grain commission last summer, at the instance of the government, investigated the matter, and reported in favor of such a plan, and the commission has been holding a series of conferences through the west on the same subject.

In the United States terminal facilities for the handling of grain are located at all important points, and a storage capacity estimated at 200,000,000 bushels. As a consequence the grain in the west is in the hands of these centres the year round.

Western Canada has but one terminal point, Port William and Port Arthur. It is possible that if the government decides upon the construction of terminal elevators they may insist upon the condition that milling industries be established. The establishment of a terminal elevator which would contain all the grades of grain is the natural adjunct of such industry. Some official announcement is expected before the session closes.

A Volunteer Force

Wellington, N.Z.—The scheme for organizing a volunteer force in New Zealand, available for service in any part of the empire, has been the subject of much discussion. The Dominion and the Imperial Government. It is now announced that the scheme has been approved by the government, and that the views of His Majesty's Government will be put forward to the Dominion government.

The general opinion is that the volunteers joining the force will amount to approximately seven thousand men. These men, owing to the universal system which exists in New Zealand, will be well equipped for training in the territorial force. The formation of this corps by New Zealand is the first step towards the Dominion to furnish the Mother country with an estimate of the exact number of men who would be available for the empire in time of need.

Titanic Claims Period Extended

New York.—The time limit for filing claims against the Oceanic Navigation, limited, for the loss of the Titanic was extended by United States Judge Holt, in the case of two claimants representing nearly six claimants. One, acting for seven residents of Switzerland was given thirty days; there were 125 claims filed just before the time limit expired. These amounted to \$2,122,857 and bring 131 total claims for loss of life and property and injury to nearly \$14,000,000.

Is Member of Banking Firm

London.—The select committee appointed to inquire into the eligibility of Stuart Samuel occupying a seat in the commons, owing to his alleged participation in business transactions with an Indian banking firm, has reported that Mr. Samuel was a member of the firm of Samuel and Montagu, which traded with the Government. The privy council will shortly deliver judgment as to whether Mr. Samuel's position in the house can be declared vacant.

Forehands End of Canal Dispute

London.—The report sent by James Bryce, British ambassador to the United States, on the result of his conversation with President Wilson, forehands the two countries, a favorable termination of the controversy between the two countries over the question of the Panama Canal tolls.

Dr. McKay Joins Steffanssen

London.—Another expedition member joined the forthcoming Canadian expedition in the person of Dr. McKay, who has announced that he is to accompany the expedition. Dr. McKay will fill a similar position on the new Arctic expedition.

IS RICH IN MINERALS

VALUABLE DEPOSIT FOUND ALONG H.B. ROUTE

Prospectors are Staking Claims, and a Rush to this District is Anticipated.—High Grade Samples of Ore Convince the Prospector.

The Pas, Man.—That mineral in paying quantities exist within 100 miles of the Hudson Bay railway and in close proximity thereto, and that new lands in the Pas are rich in minerals, has been brought to light by the discovery of a rich deposit of minerals, similar to what happened in the Porcupine district in Northern Ontario, is the report of the Wright-Bancroft prospective party, which went north last winter and returned a few days ago, have brought with them.

Both men have spent the greater portion of their time in this work. The fact also that the well known mining engineer, C. Baleman, of Toronto, has been invited to visit the matter and make propositions for the taking over of the claims located by the party is evidence that its report is a reliable one.

The Wright-Bancroft party's field of action has been in the west of the Thicket Portage district, which is at the far extremity of the first contract of the Hudson Bay railway, and is about 185 miles from here. The claims they have located number 30, as follows: Thicket Portage, group 1; group 2; Wintering Lake, group 3; group 4; group 5; group 6; group 7; group 8; group 9; group 10; group 11; group 12; group 13; group 14; group 15; group 16; group 17; group 18; group 19; group 20; group 21; group 22; group 23; group 24; group 25; group 26; group 27; group 28; group 29; group 30.

The main and only trouble which may be encountered in the development of the claims located by the party as well as others of similar nature in the whole north-west, will be the ability of the root and soil to keep water out, for if expensive pumping apparatus has to be used it may be found that the quantity of precious metal will not be sufficient to justify the cost.

Mr. Wright himself stated that at Settlement Lake there are three waterfalls sufficient to develop to generate an immense volume of power. In all probability, concluded Mr. Wright, when water becomes the establishment of smelters is found necessary, they will be located at The Pas.

FOR WELLAND CANAL

Departmental Engineers Visit Big Ditch to Get the Latest Ideas

Ottawa, Ont.—Chief Engineer Bowden, of the department of public works, and Engineer Wells, who is in charge of the work on the Welland Canal, have been visiting the project to the Panama canal, where they spent the past month studying the great work. They have been investigating the latest engineering developments as well as the cost of the canal, with a view to applying these ideas to the new Welland undertaking.

The government is anxious for the Welland to be the latest work in modern canal construction, and the department are starting work at once on designing the canal construction, and tenders will be closed as soon as possible.

The preliminary work is already well under way, the route having been chosen, and the first surveying is almost about complete. It is almost impossible for the contractors to start the work until this year, but the next five years will see great activity along the line of the big ditch across the Niagara peninsula. The canal that is being planned is designed to meet future needs for a long period and will be one of the greatest works of its kind on the continent.

PROGRESS BY WIRELESS

From Chambers, France, to New York Is Latest

Paris.—By means of the invention of an Italian engineer, Galetti, it is hoped that within ten days it will be possible to communicate by wireless from Chambers, in the southeast of France, to New York. A wireless station has been erected on a high cliff in the village of Lescaux, near Chambers.

Dispensing with antennae, Galetti has set up two posts eight metres apart, each with a wire. These are connected by a wire from which a series of other wires 500 metres long are suspended. The operator's cabin at the foot of the cliff. Galetti obtained authority from the French government to exploit the Lescaux station for the purpose of direct communication with New York. Galetti expressed satisfaction with the preliminary trials.

A Life Story

Huddersfield, Eng.—Harry Snell, the Labor-Socialist candidate for Huddersfield, has announced that he is the authorized life story of the late W. T. Staud, who perished in the Titanic disaster a year ago.

FOR WIRELESS OUTFIT

Tendering for Station of Much Power at Le Pas Terminals

Le Pas, Man.—Several firms are now tendering on the contract to build the wireless station or to build there at an early date in connection with the construction of the Hudson Bay Railway. A. P. Roche, secretary of the Hudson Bay Railway, of the Canadian Marconi Telegraph Company of Toronto, and Walter A. Rash, of the Radio Telegraph branch of the Department of Naval Service, Ottawa, are present in town. They inspected the ground south and north of the river. The plant which is expected to cost about \$100,000 will include four 200 feet steel towers, a 23 horse power engine. Both Mr. Roche and Mr. Rash found conditions at this point ideal, account of the gradual and continual progression of the land towards the bay.

TO STOP DUELS

Emperor Wilhelm Spoke to Discourage Practice, Says German Army Berlin

Berlin.—Emperor William is endeavoring to reduce the number of duels fought by German army officers according to a statement made to a committee of the Imperial Parliament by General Von Hoeringen, Minister of War. The Emperor, said the Minister, admonished the commanding generals at his New Year's reception to give their attention to the matter, chiefly in the way of improving the training of officers. The Emperor's intention was to reduce the number of duels caused by officers to give their attention to civilians. This was in the nature of a warning to the officers to strive to be better men, and he concluded: Self-control and restraint must be cultivated as many virtues.

FATAL ACCIDENTS

Department of Labor Report on Deaths in Industrial Trades

Ottawa.—During the month of March, according to the record of the department of labor, 486 industrial accidents occurred, of which 23 were fatal and 287 resulted in serious injury. The number of fatal accidents occurred in the metal trades was 115, in the building trades 25, in the railway service 11, in the textile trades 11, in the food trades 11, in the clothing trades 11, in the leather trades 11, in the paper trades 11, in the printing trades 11, in the bookbinding trades 11, in the shoemaking trades 11, in the hatteries trades 11, in the millinery trades 11, in the dressmaking trades 11, in the tailoring trades 11, in the cooperage trades 11, in the cabinetmaking trades 11, in the joinery trades 11, in the carpentry trades 11, in the masonry trades 11, in the bricklaying trades 11, in the stonemasonry trades 11, in the plastering trades 11, in the painting trades 11, in the paperhanging trades 11, in the glazing trades 11, in the locksmithing trades 11, in the blacksmithing trades 11, in the farrier trades 11, in the cooper trades 11, in the wheelwright trades 11, in the harness trades 11, in the saddlery trades 11, in the shoemaking trades 11, in the 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ARIZONA KICKLETS

Still on the Job and Just as Spry as Ever.

THE EDITOR IS IN WRONG.

Our Distinguished Friend is Made the Target For Several Gentlemen's Wrath. Also Their Bullets—He Continues to Give Advice to the Needy.

By M. QUAD.
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W HAD forgotten to tell about our editorial staff and haven't made good at once. It comprises 1,200 editors and reporters, and not one of them receives less than \$100 per week. They consume 1,000 bottles of champagne per day, which is the greatest newspaper record in the known world. By sending in your advertisements a year ahead you are sure of an insertion. We take the advertisements of all fakes and leave the fools to look out for themselves.

Last Tuesday afternoon a man calling himself Grizzly Bill got into a dispute at the Red Front saloon with an individual who has been generally



Known around town as Terrific Tom. Both drew their guns and stepped to the sidewalk and began shooting. Twelve shots were fired, and the only thing hit was Major Callahan's bull, who died an hour later. When the parties were arrested and brought before us as mayor we fined each \$25, and in default of money went to jail for three months apiece. The fine was not imposed so much for infraction of the ordinance as for the poor shooting they did.

Our esteemed contemporary came out last week with an announcement that we were leading in the Red Front saloon on a certain evening to the detriment of our dignity. His statement lacks truth. As editor of the Kicker we went in for a nip. As mayor, after the nip had been disposed of, we took a look around to see if any of the ordinances was being violated.

The editor of the Kicker, who is himself, and the mayor of this town, who is also another, are in receipt of invitations to attend the opening of the Pacific poker rooms next week. As editor of the Kicker we shall accept the invitation, but as mayor we shall decline it. This will probably give us a chance as a private individual without hurting anybody's feelings.

Henry Ruby of Indianapolis, a traveling man and a guest at the Royal hotel last week, found unnecessary fault with the number of cockroaches in evidence and was so persistent in it and so emphatic in his language that mine host Sanders was compelled to shoot him through the shoulder. After having the bullet extracted and lying by for three days the gentleman departed. He explained that there were five cockroaches in the room, and at times he had been known to find fault even with the color of his own hair.

Editor Blackman of the Blue Hills Banner called us a liar in his last issue, and last Sunday we rode over to pay him a friendly call and saw how his cucumber plants were getting on. We were still six miles from the town when he mounted his cayuse and left for the mountains at a pace that left the trail smoking.

Some of our friends want to launch our presidential boom at once and get the people used to the sight of the barrel so that they will not be shy later on. We thank them kindly, but we refuse to be killed off that way. Any candidate boomed in advance of nomination is a dead duck.

John Hammer, of a town in Illinois

WITNESSED HIS DEATH, WILL SOON ARRIVE IN Givensden Gulch to set up as a dentist, and he includes a dollar and asks to give him a "pull." In order to save the money we will say that Mr. Hammer will be lynched within two hours of his drawing his first tooth in the town. It's a way we have had with the last four dentists.

A young man who gave us his name as Samuel Gordon and his place of residence as Pekin, Ill., called on us one day last week and asked us if there was room in Arizona for a hustling young man. We encouraged him to believe that there was, and he gave us his thanks and disappeared. That day he walked eight miles and stole a horse. That night he rode fifteen miles and stole two others. When caught the next day he had a fourth. When the rope was around his neck and he was about to be launched he was asked if he had anything to say. In reply he laid it on us, asserting that if we had not encouraged him to become a horse thief he would have been simply picked up an old blind cayuse and been content. We shall be careful after this how we sling our advice around.

George Frayne of Lone Jack cooked Jim Harper of the same town with a bullet in the shoulder the other day. Cause of the shooting unknown and of no particular interest.

We are sorry to announce the death of Thomas Ford of Idaho, which event took place one day last week during a dispute with a nation. For a year Mr. Ford was a resident of this gulch. Many and many a time as secretary of the vigilance committee we entrusted Mr. Ford to furnish the subject of a lynching, but he always hung back. It was a foregone conclusion with us that sooner or later he would get what was coming to him, but he departed one day and left us sorrowing. We would have given him a headstone and a couplet here, while over there in Idaho he lies in a nameless grave, and there is no curfew to sing his sad song as evening comes down upon the land.

One Mr. Johnson of Utah has gone to the trouble and expense of buying a postal card and writing us to the effect that he will soon arrive in this town for the purpose of plunking us. Mr. Johnson, come along; come along and plunk us and let us plunk at you. Bring your funeral expenses in your hand pocket. Have your will drawn. Overhaul your conscience and make such reparation as you can. When you arrive in town, Mr. Johnson, don't lose time in calling on us. We are dangerous. Come in with a sun in either hand and begin blarney away and leave the instructions till afterward. You will find us at home and in our usual good natured mood. If we plunk you we pay for your headstone. If you plunk us the sheriff will give you ten miles the start.

Colonel Drake, now in Indiana, says that we drove him out of Givensden Gulch at the muzzle of a revolver because we didn't like the cat's green color of his eyes and that every human being in the town lives in daily terror of us. The colonel was thought to be the boss lar when here, but the colonel's cat has improved. He is left here in the night after borrowing \$150 of various suckers, and we have to plead guilty of being up.

Colonel Elton of the Two Bar ranch is one of the best fellows in the town, but he annoys us now and then. Two weeks ago he sent in a postcard of his own invention, and because we refused to publish it he came to town yesterday and before we heard of his presence he was banging away at us from the sanctum door. Of course he didn't hit us, but we don't like smoke and noise. As for Colonel Elton, we may have to shoot one of his thumbs off some day.

We have a letter from a young man in Connecticut asking us how to prepare himself to come west and be a cowboy. The first thing he is to cultivate is a holier that can be heard a mile away. The next is an appetite for a whiskey that would burn the hind legs of a wolf. Then get two guns and practice on the draw for three months. Take three more for target shooting. Then put in about the same time in riding the typhoon of a big engine and six months in casting the rope. Then, equipped in a sombrero, leather leggings and a red shirt, he can go out to this country and be on the job twenty-four hours a day and receive half the pay he could get for carrying the hod at home.

"Not Becoming."

"I didn't see Mrs. McWhorter looking very attractive at the opera last night," said Dubleigh.

"Not Why, usually she is radiant. What did she have on?" asked Wicketop.

"A large sized grouch," said Dubleigh.—Harper's Weekly.

Unconventional.

"But Maria, why should we make a fool of ourselves when we see so few of the places of interest in our own country? Let us visit those first."

"Oh, John, you do say such dreadfully coarse and unconventional things."

DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Miss Jane Addams, head of the Hull House in Chicago, is going to Egypt for a long stay.

Boston has a centenarian in Mrs. Lucy W. Keys, inmate of a home for old persons.

The heart of the famous violin virtuoso to visit us will be Mischa Elman, the young Russian who makes his instrument veritably sing. Like Caruso, Elman possesses a certain charm in total effects that no one else seems able to attain.

Dr. Margit Balogh, a Hungarian woman, has been appointed by the Hungarian minister of instruction to engage in geological research work in connection with a French expedition to the Atlas mountains, in northwest Africa. Dr. Balogh's work will be confined chiefly to the historic province of Constantine, now part of modern Algeria.

Mrs. John Billington, the veteran actress of the English stage, recently celebrated her eighty-eighth birthday at her home in London. Fifty-five years ago she played Venus in "Cupid and Psyche" at the Adelphi theater. Before going to London she had already toured the provinces, where she won considerable fame. Despite her great age she is still in good health.

Diamond Tips.

Henry Painter, a semi-professional pitcher, of Chicago has been signed by the Chicago Cubs.

Cy Seymour has purchased his release from the Los Angeles club and will sign a contract with the Boston Braves.

The International league season will open on April 16 with the following games: Rochester at Baltimore, Toronto at Newark, Montreal at Providence and Buffalo at Jersey City.

Beak Becker, utility outfielder of the Giants, will play with the Cincinnati Reds this year. He was sold for the waiver price of \$1,500, which is down for some surprises, as he turned in a batting average of .345 for his last season and was rated above the average.

The Suffragettes.

The sixteenth amendment is income, and the seventeenth will be elected senators. That is the gist of No. 15 for the women—New York Mail.

If British women, simply by the endeavor to obtain the franchise, can bring about a cabinet crisis, think what they will accomplish when they begin to vote.—Boston Transcript.

Suffragettes are now claiming that the ballot will make women round. From which we judge that the first legislation they will attempt will be a federal statute abolishing birthdays.—Washington Post.

Pert Personals.

London debating societies are discussing the question, "Is Shaw Over-rated?" Not in George Bernard Shaw's estimation.

As he continues to go, remember Mr. Rockefeller's advice and save your pennies. He evidently needs them.—Boston Journal.

Of course the inveterate natter would be in wait for a chance to designate the man who put the "Tumult" in Tumultus.—Washington Star.

Flippant Flings.

Dissolving trusts may be comparatively easy, but wait until they tackle the glue trust.

By a new device one can talk thirty-five miles without a wire. What chance has a bespeckled man now!—Milwaukee Sentinel.

New York bankers are still favoring an elastic currency. Most of us, however, would favor a currency with the adhesiveness of chewing gum.—New Orleans Picayune.

Facts From France.

Five francs 105.6 cents is more than the average laborer gets for a day's work in the Lyons district of France.

The old fashioned master of French fishermen are being replaced rapidly by steam trawlers of from sixty to 600 tons.

A landlord in Sartroville, near Paris, has offered to let a three roomed cottage at a rental of \$50 a year, with a reduction of \$2 for every child in the family.

Train and Track.

Over 51,000 locomotives are daily operated in the United States.

Chicago street railways yearly collect over \$10,000,000 in fares.

American railways now carry a billion tons of freight annually.

The London and Greenwich railway, the first in London, was opened in 1835.

Swedish railroads have decided to adopt daylight in the signaling system.

THE ART OF POISONING.

Subtle Methods Used by the Natives of Central Africa.

The Central African native is a master in the art of poisoning and always on the watch for it. He will never take a glass of water or eat out of a dish, even when offered by a peaceful acquaintance, until the host has eaten or drunk some of it to pledge his harmlessness. He is always in fear of treachery, and with good reason, for an assassin is cheaply hired. Vegetable poisons may be made by almost any one, and the methods of administering them are cunning beyond description.

One of the cleverest ways, often resorted to when a man gets into his head an idea that a neighbor is injuring him by witchery, is to kill the neighbor's favorite victim by means of poisoned stakes and at the same time avoid suspicion, which would inevitably lead to a similar vengeance.

Procuring little sharpened sticks, the murderer follows their points and inserts poison usually made by boiling down the juice of certain shrubs or creepers into the cavities. These he secretly plants upright, but leaving a little along the path which leads from the doomed person's hut to his garden.

Sooner or later the intended victim slightly lacerates his bare foot by hitting one of these sharp stakes. He takes no notice of the wound, for he is used to such trifling injuries, but in a few moments his foot and leg begin to swell, and an hour or so later he expires in agony.

The bark and roots of several trees and shrubs yield virulent poisons when properly brewed, one of which has the peculiar effect of at once paralyzing the organs of speech. The gall of the crocodile when dried in the sun and ground to powder is deadly. The most fatal poison, however, is that prepared from an ugly, whitish tree called jujube in German East Africa. It grows in a bushy localities, and few natives will venture to cut it down, for a mere prick with a splinter will cause terrible and sometimes fatal inflammation. The negroes say that neither moths nor snakes will go near it, and that birds never rest in its branches.

To make this poison the wood is burnt and its ashes are mixed with water and then boiled down to a thick paste. The natives will travel hundreds of miles to procure this paste, with which hunters anoint their arrows and spears and the bullets of their guns. Dipping them after the smearing in hot beeswax to form a protective covering against loss of their guns, dipping them against accident.—Harper's Weekly.

Scattering Disease.

Dr. Leonard Hill of London holds that it is an "offense against society for any one with a cold to cough, sneeze or even talk without covering his mouth with his handkerchief, and kill tens of thousands every year," the doctor adds, "and yet we persist in taking no special precautions to escape them. It is a common habit to prevent the spread of diphtheria or scarlet fever or smallpox, but the person with a cold, who is scattering deadly germs everywhere, we treat as perfectly harmless. I thoroughly agree that during the sneezing, coughing stage the person should be isolated, so that the germs he is constantly scattering may not be breathed in by his neighbors."—New York Tribune.

A Pet Dog Cemetery.

Dead dogs fare better than many men in one town in England, where there is an exclusive cemetery for rich women's pets. Expensive dogs must have showy graves, and the owner of a toy spaniel, blue blooded Pomeranian or a French poodle doesn't think anything of paying \$100 for a burial plot in the first stop on the way to the canine Valhalla. Here headstones are stuck up over the last resting place of the aristocratic doggies, and the epitaphs are as appreciative as if they were on tombstones over the graves of the best French chefs.—New York Press.

Quaint English Surmises.

There are still the quaint surmises redolent of the soil or the early experiences in the life of the English. The Cotswolds. A correspondent tells me that there are four men working on one farm on the Cotswolds hills named Red, Yellow, Blue, and Green. Red, Yellow and Green—namely clear who have gained their surmises from some kind of idiosyncrasy or fact, men who may some day sack the surmise of Bill into fame.—London Telegraph.

Its Abode.

The teacher in natural history had received more or less satisfactory replies to her question, and finally she asked:

"What little boy can tell me where the home of the swallow is?"

Long silence, then a hand raised.

"The home of the swallow," declared Robbie seriously, "is in the stinwick."—Youth's Companion.

For the Children

Miss Gloria Gould as "The Infant Samuel."



The charming little child shown in the picture is Miss Gloria Gould, daughter of George Jay Gould, Jr., recently in New York a series of tableaux was arranged by New York's social leaders, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to charity. Miss Gould was chosen to impersonate "The Infant Samuel" as portrayed in the famous painting by Sir Joshua Reynolds. A copy of that work of art can judge for themselves as to the faithfulness of Miss Gould's portrayal. The artist made a charming picture is beyond question.

A Poem For Each Birth Month.

January—"The Eve of St. Agnes," Keats.
February—"Afternoon in February," Longfellow.
March—"A Morning in March," Wordsworth.
April—"Welcome to April," Tennyson.
May—"An Evening in May," Walton.

June—"A Day in June," Lowell.

July—"Rain in Summer," Longfellow.

August—"Forest Hymn," Bryant.

September—"Elysium for September," George Herbert.

October—"Pleasures of Autumn," Keats.

November—"Death of the Flowers," Bryant.

December—"The Holly Tree," Southey.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Duck Under the Water.

In playing this game each child chooses a partner, and they stand in couples, one pair before another, till a long line is made. Each couple holds a handkerchief between them as blanch as they can to form an arch. The couple at the foot of the line run through this arch, stopping just beyond the couple standing at the head. There they stand still and hold up their handkerchief, thus forming another arch. This is done by every couple left at the foot in succession, so there are always the same number of arches. The line may be straight or curved or in a circle, according to fancy or the space in which the game is played. This game is very pretty, with its quick motions and changing arches. Different colored handkerchiefs or scarfs add to its beauty.

Dogs and Music.

Dogs as a rule like music. But it must be remembered that their acutely developed nervous system, which renders them such faithful watchers, also makes keen and high pitched sounds extremely painful to them. Thus the high notes of a trumpet or even of a violin are torturing to a dog, as are the shrill notes of a whistle. The other hand, soft medium tones undoubtedly give many dogs pleasure. Cats also, like many other animals, are fond of music. But to rebuke appearance to suffer so much from keen harsh sounds as dogs, and none, on the other hand, probably delight more in music, soft harmonies and a soothing "disposition movement" is the kind of music most agreeable to the intelligent dog.

His Absentmindedness.

Professor after dinner, looking at his empty plate in a rage—"There, we've had spinach and eggs again! You know perfectly well, Amelia, that I can't eat it!"—Fliegende Blätter.

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This went on for a while, till a fellow-countryman rushed forward and asked: Mon, d'ye think y're in the streets of Glasgow, that ye gang about like a madman crying groselets?
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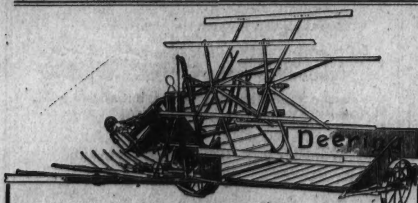


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DOMINION FORESTS.

How the Federal Forests are Being Developed.

The Dominion Forest Service has progressed farther than any other service in Canada in the laying out of forest reserves and providing for their proper administration. Sixteen million acres have been definitely set apart by Act of Parliament to be administered as forest reserves. Additional areas are being examined each year, and some six million acres additional are now under temporary reservation and will shortly be added to the reserves set apart by statute. The mere setting apart of reserves though an important step, is only a preliminary one. Although, unfortunately, in some cases it has not been realized that anything further is necessary, this mistake has not been made in the federal administration.

The reserves have been organized by appointing an inspector in charge for each of the western provinces. The inspectors selected are men who have had a thorough technical training in forestry and who have shown good administrative ability. In each of the inspection districts the reserves areas are laid out in units or forests each under charge of a technically trained man or a man experienced in timber administration. Twelve such divisions have already been established, and others are being organized and manned with forest rangers as the development of the reserves and fire danger may render necessary. These divisions do not include patrol outside of forest reserves on the large area of forest not included therein. In such areas there are in addition twelve patrol divisions each under charge of a chief fire ranger.

On each of the forests, houses have been erected for the forest rangers so that they may be close to their work and give it careful supervision. At different points throughout the forest, huts have been erected as headquarters for summer patrols and in some of the more inaccessible districts, 470 miles of trails and roads have been constructed so as to make the reserves more accessible. Ten bridges have been constructed, and 100 miles of telephone have been put in operation. A much enlarged programme of such improvement work has been laid out for the coming year.

A conference of the Inspectors was recently held at Ottawa to plan the work for the coming season and the construction work on the reserves will be pushed as rapidly as possible so as to have the reserves made immune from fire, as they are in Europe, in the shortest possible time.

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